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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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Date of Interview: 24 April 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 9, 15 and 22.

Identification of prior art discussed: Menenzes et al (Hand book of applied Cryptography ISBN 0-8493-8523-7 and Rosen Discrete mathematics and its applications secondon edition ISBN 0-07-053744-5.


Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiners and application discussed about the double patenting rejection, claim objection and the rejection of of claims 1, 9, 15, 22 and how to overcome the 101 problems with independent claims 1, 9, 22, applicant provided clarification on claims 9 and 22. Applicant further argued on how the prior art do not teach all the limitations of claims 9, 15 and 22. Applicant indicated that she would amend the claims in order to get allowed subject matter.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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